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MRS. LINA COOK GOES TO REWARD

**FUNERAL WILL BE HELD FRIDAY;
BURIAL IN GROTON
CEMETERY**

Mrs. Lina Cook, a highly thought of lady of Groton and widow of the late W. L. Cook, prominent grain man of a few years ago, passed away at her home here Monday night after suffering from a malady for the past six months. She was 78 years of age at the time of her death.

Prominent in church work and social circles of the elder ladies of the city, Mrs. Cook was greatly beloved by a large group of friends and her death is the source of intense grief and sorrow among them.

While the deceased could not be termed an early pioneer in the strictest sense of the word, yet she was one of the early settlers of the county. She was born in Grand Rapids, Mich., Feb. 10, 1860, and came to this community and settled in Bates township shortly after her marriage in 1889. Together with her husband and family she lived on a farm east of and at Ferney until 1913, when the family came to Groton. She has since made her home in this city.

She was the mother of five children, four of whom are left to mourn her loss. Her husband passed away in 1931. Those whom she has left in sorrow are Stewart Cook of Selby; M. R. Cook, Groton; Jesse Cook, Minneapolis, and Mrs. D. E. Breckenridge of Springfield, Mass. Joe Cook, a son, passed away a few years ago. Several grand children also survive her.

The funeral will be held from the Paetznick funeral home, Friday afternoon, conducted by Rev. C. B. Cedar, and burial will be made in Groton cemetery.